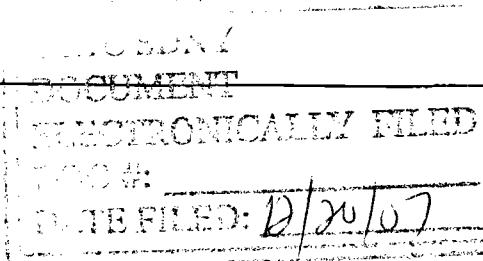




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MEMORANDUM FOR THE COURT

86 Chambers Street, 3rd floor  
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December 20, 2007

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Honorable Gabriel W. Gorenstein  
United States Magistrate Judge  
United States District Court  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

*Granted - No further  
extension of judgment  
application  
made by notice of motion showing  
extraordinary circumstances.*

SO ORDERED: DATE: 12/16/07  
*[Signature]*  
GABRIEL W. GORENSTEIN  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Re: Javier Martinez v. Astrue  
07 Civ. 3156 (WHP) (GWG)

Dear Judge Gorenstein:

The briefing schedule in the above-referenced Social Security case requires the Government to move for judgment on the pleadings by December 21, 2007, plaintiff to cross-move for judgment on the pleadings by January 22, 2008, and the Government to reply by February 5, 2008. We write respectfully to request that the briefing schedule be adjourned for approximately 30 days as follows: Government's motion by January 23, 2008, plaintiff's motion by February 22, 2008, and the Government's reply by March 7, 2008. The reason for this request is to accommodate the vacation plans of defendant's counsel. We attempted to obtain plaintiff's consent to this proposed adjournment, but plaintiff's counsel did not return telephone messages left on December 18 and 20, 2007. One prior adjournment of the briefing schedule was granted. We appreciate the Court's consideration of this request.

Respectfully,

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